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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an additional two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed September 26, 2003. A Request for Continued Examination responsive to the Advisory Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A check in the total amount of \$1,190.00 to cover the extension of time and RCE fees accompanies this submission. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

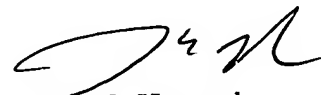
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